

# HUNGARIAN FORCES CEASE CZECH ASSAULTS

## Premier Clemencau Telegraphs Hungarian Government Allies Will Use "Extreme Measures"

PARIS, June 9.—Premier Clemencau, president of the peace conference, has telegraphed the Hungarian government that attacks by Hungarian troops on Czech-Slovak forces must cease, a dispatch from Vienna today says. In case of noncompliance, the allied and associated governments have decided to use "extreme measures to constrain Hungary to cease hostilities," the premier's message adds.

# ESTHONIAN BATTLES WITH HUNS NEAR RIGA

STOCKHOLM, June 9.—Esthonian forces have clashed with German landwehr troops in the region east of Riga, where Lithuanian detachments have also been in serious fighting with the Germans, according to an official statement.

The capture of Krestburg, the occurrence of which was announced in the press, has been reported, occurred on Friday and the Esthonians captured a large number of prisoners.

# TWO IMPORTANT TOWNS TAKEN BY ESTHONIANS

COPENHAGEN, June 9.—Krestburg and Jakobstad, important towns south of Riga, have been occupied by Esthonian forces, while farther south Lithuanian troops are approaching Dyvinsk, according to an official statement, issued at Esthonian headquarters.

# EXPLAIN REASON FOR WAR ACTION AGAINST HUNS

LONDON, June 9.—The Esthonian general staff considers itself forced to military operations against the Germans, says a Helmsfors dispatch to the Mail. This action is in consequence of the action of the German forces in the Riga district in advancing behind the Bolshevik lines for the purpose of capturing the eastern province of Lithuania, which, with a treacherous attack upon the Esthonians by the German army, under orders from General von Goltz, commander of the German forces in the Baltic region, is a complete betrayal of the German promise to the Esthonians as a condition of the Brest-Litovsk.

# SOLDIERS BADLY IN NEED OF JOBS

A critical period has been reached in the securing of jobs for returned soldiers, according to Mrs. J. T. Ware, in charge of the soldiers' work in the United States. She says that the opportunities secured in the recent canvass with the co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce are being rapidly taken up, that now the department is in greater need of opportunities from employers for the returned soldiers, stenographers, clerks and the like than ever before in its history. Mrs. Ware reports that the industrial depression following the unusually wet weather, the lack of structural work, the lack of river work during high water and the lack of work in the steel industry are among the factors which have brought about the situation. She says that the department is endeavoring to make places for returned soldiers in the army and navy, and the employment service.

# MASON'S ABSENCE MAY DEFER APPOINTMENTS

Owing to the fact that Alfred D. Mason, inspector commissioner, will be in Atlanta Tuesday, it is probable that the nomination of police officers will not come up at the city commission meeting Tuesday. Mr. Mason is expected to return to Memphis on Wednesday. It already has been intimated by C. W. Miller, commissioner of the city, that he will be in charge of the police department. Recently it has become an official courtesy, seemingly, to make the appointments when Mr. Mason is out of the city. The naming of a water commissioner was postponed Tuesday because Mr. Mason was away.

# NEGRO ESCAPES IN RUNNING BATTLE

A negro burglar who had entered through an open window of the home of H. E. Butts, 525 Pennsylvania street, Sunday night, succeeded in pocketing Butts' gold watch and was making his exit when he was caught by the police. The burglar was shot at by the police, but he escaped. The police are looking for him.

# OPPOSES INCREASE IN U. S. BORDER FORCES

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Major Gen. Cabell, commanding the Southern department and the Mexican border, in a special report to the war department today advised against any increase in forces at this time. The forces now under his command, Gen. Cabell said, were sufficient to handle any contingency that could be foreseen.

# HOTEL GUEST LOSES \$45.

For the second time within a few days thieves Sunday night invaded the room of J. W. Cannon, a guest of the Jefferson hotel, Main street and Washington avenue, so he told the police, without disturbing his sleep. A hand was reached under his pillow and \$45 taken.

# That Money You'll Get

By selling that dresser, bed, sideboard, stove or other article that has outgrown its usefulness to you will come in handy. A little "For Sale" in The News-Scimitar classified will find a purchaser.

# OVERSEAS BOYS STAGE RIFLE SHOOT



Gen. Pershing watching target at A.E.F. rifle shoot at D'Anvers range, near Le Mans, France.

# POSTAL UNION MEN READY TO TALK

## Western Union C. T. U. Operators Still Out—Manager Says Company's Business Not Affected

Although there was absolutely no change in the local telegraph situation Monday on account of the strike of union operators employed by the Western Union company, there are indications of probable local developments Wednesday when the general strike called by the president of the Commercial Telegraphers' union goes into effect.

Members of the union employed by the Postal company in Memphis have no grievance against that company and will regret any orders calling them out. But if those orders are received every member of the union will walk from the Postal operating rooms as they did last week from the Western Union offices.

There will be this difference, however. Few union men were at work for the Western Union in Memphis. It is said that more than half the operators work for the Postal company's local offices belong to the union. A number of the men who left the Western Union last week were at work for the Postal Monday.

Members of the union claim that not less than 30 men have now quit the Western Union offices.

C. T. U. said Monday that it does not admit that every union man walked out, but asserts that the number was only 10. But it admits that others quit their jobs in several of the branch offices and in several offices at other points.

The Western Union has always employed a large number of young women as its operators and messengers and in its telephone service and in the business offices. These are not members of the C. T. U. and are not affected by any and all requests from the strikers to quit their jobs.

Members of the union who were scouting in the vicinity of the Western Union main office Monday claimed that they had no information from the strikers at work in the building at that time, but Mr. Bogan asserted that practically all the operators who had quit the Western Union were at work in the building at that time, and that there was no evidence of any delay of messages either here or anywhere in the district that night.

Members of the union claim that no complaint was being received.

W. J. Brannon, president of the local C. T. U., said Monday that under no circumstances would he or any of his members be obeyed. He said that 35 or 40 men now at work for the Postal as operators are members of the union. Brannon also believes that many of the operators in the Western Union offices will strike in sympathy on Wednesday.

C. H. Johnson, manager of the Postal offices in Memphis, said that he had no information from the strikers at work in the building at that time, and that there was no evidence of any delay of messages either here or anywhere in the district that night.

The men employed here are all satisfied, so far as he knows, he said. "We have made no distinction between union and non-union men and I have no idea how many of our operators are members of the union. I know that our operating department has taken on some of the men who left the Western Union, simply because we need them. The force of operators on duty varies almost from 65 to 95 men."

Strikers among the Memphis men who walked out last week seem to be pinning their hopes of securing recognition of the union by the Western Union, on the expectation that the general strike will be joined by operators generally in all Western Union offices and probably by the railroad telegraphers, who have their own union organization.

# Hundreds Enroll In Normal Classes For Summer Term

Hundreds of young women and a number of young men are enrolling Monday for the six weeks' summer term at the West Tennessee Normal school, located at the University of Tennessee campus. The number in attendance will break all previous records, and that between 500 and 600 will have registered before tonight.

Informal opening exercises were held in the school auditorium Monday morning. The young students were welcomed by Dr. A. A. Kinnaman, the president, who also made the announcement of the faculty and of some of the features of the course.

Addressing the students, Dr. Kinnaman said that the school was a member of the Association of Normal Schools, which includes in its membership the associations of both the day and the country schools.

An address was also made on English literature and the plays of Shakespeare by the Hon. C. J. Horner, a noted lecturer, former graduate of the University of Tennessee, and a former member of the British parliament.

Class work will be begun in all departments Tuesday morning. During the six weeks' course a number of lectures and addresses will be made from time to time by men of national prominence in education. These speakers include Dr. P. P. Claxton, commissioner of education; Prof. C. A. Keiffer, of the University of Tennessee; Dr. B. R. Payne, of Peabody college, Nashville; Gov. A. H. Roberts, of Tennessee; Gov. Chas. H. Brough, of Arkansas, and others.

# Pure Injunction Against Marriage Stands For Day

Hugh Boyd, 19, still will have to wait awhile, or until Monday, before he can get his girl, Mary, who is 16, if he gets her then, as the hearing of the injunction suit separating them temporarily, which was granted by the court, stands for a day.

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# FIREMEN GET \$125.

Checks from property owners in appreciation of good work in recent fires, amounting to \$125, were received Monday by the firemen of the city. The checks were presented to the firemen by the city treasurer, who also presented a check for \$125, which was the amount of the fund of the firemen's relief association.

# SERGT. YORK MAY BRING BRIDE HERE

An invitation to Sergeant Alvin C. York, of Wall Mall, Tenn., to come to Memphis on his bridal tour, and be the guest of the Kiwanis club, has been sent the war hero by members of the Kiwanis entertainment committee.

At the last meeting of the club, the committee was instructed to extend this bid to the East Tennessee hero, should an acceptance be received, plans will be started to tender him a fitting reception.

An invitation also has been extended him by the Y. M. C. A.

# THE WEATHER

Tennessee—Fair; Tuesday probably showers.

Mississippi—Partly cloudy; probably thunder showers Tuesday.

Arkansas—Cloudy, probably showers in north.

Alabama—Partly cloudy; probably thunder showers Tuesday.

Kentucky—Fair in central and east, probably showers in west.

Louisiana and West Texas—Partly cloudy.

Oklahoma—Cloudy, probably showers in east.

East Texas—Cloudy, scattered showers.

North Carolina—Fair except probably showers Tuesday in extreme west.

South Carolina—Fair except showers Tuesday in west.

Florida—Occasional thunder storms.

Kansas—Unsettled, probably local thunder showers.

# SENATE COMMITTEE SUMMONS SIX MEN FOR QUESTIONS

## Schiff, Lamont, Davison, Warburg, Morgan and Vanderlip Subpoenaed to Appear Before Probers for Testimony.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—In its investigation of how copies of the peace treaty reached New York, the senate foreign relations committee today subpoenaed Jacob Schiff, Thomas F. Lamont, H. P. Davison, Paul Warburg, J. P. Morgan and Frank A. Vanderlip.

Mr. Lamont was requested to bring with him before the committee any correspondence which passed between J. P. Morgan & Co. and their Paris and London agents regarding the treaty, and particularly any communications on the subject between the banking house and Mr. Davison while the latter was abroad.

The committee also adopted unanimously a resolution by Senator Fall, Republican, of New Mexico, inviting Acting Secretary Polk to appear as a witness, and to take part in the inquiry, by cross-examining witnesses and otherwise.

All of the financiers named, except Mr. Vanderlip, were called at the suggestion of Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho, who told the committee he was convinced that they were involved in the treaty copy case.

He said he could not be sure that any one of them actually had a copy, but he was sure that they were in their hands.

The Idaho senator said he was convinced that the treaty copy case was a part of the "Borah investigation" and that the committee should not be satisfied until it had heard from all of the financiers named.

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Washington Fire Insurance company vs. Dan Hogan, from Sebastian circuit, affirmed.  
Bob Smith vs. State, from Lafayette circuit, affirmed.  
Murray vs. Road Improvement District No. 1 of Boone county, from Pulaski chancery, affirmed.  
Wood, J., disqualified and nonparticipating.

# GASTON DAY TO BE AN ANNUAL EVENT

The Memphis recreation commission, in observing the observance of Gaston day, to be staged for the children at Gaston park, Thursday, has decided to make it an annual event. School children and all who use the park donated to Memphis Recreation Commission.

Mrs. John Gaston, widow of the man who gave Memphis its park bears, will provide refreshments for all who attend, young and old. Donations of food, clothing, and other necessities will be accepted. Prizes will be awarded for the best-dressed children in the parade. Prizes will be awarded for the best-dressed children in the parade.

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# Union Telegraphers' Leader Asserts No Change in Plans Will Be Made and 70,000 Will Be Called Out.

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# HOPES TO BECOME NEW CONGRESSMAN

DAN W. LAWLER, former mayor of St. Paul and for years a leading figure in Minnesota state politics, was the first candidate announced for the national house of representatives to succeed the late Congressman Carl C. Van Dyke, who died in Washington several days ago.

# Council of Five Takes Up This Feature of Terms—Reply to German Counters Delayed Further at Paris.

PARIS, June 9.—The council of five at its meeting today discussed the political clauses of the peace treaty, and the council of five at its meeting today discussed the political clauses of the peace treaty, and the council of five at its meeting today discussed the political clauses of the peace treaty.

# DOMB PLOTS SET FOR 130 TOWNS

ARREST OF RADICAL REVEALS MAP AND EVIDENCE IN TERRORIST PLANS.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 9.—More than 130 towns in West Virginia were marked by terrorists for bomb explosions, according to a map and evidence found in possession of Edwin L. McGuffey, alleged I. W. W. leader, arrested in Pittsburgh last Thursday. It was announced at the governor's office here today.

# JURY DISAGREES IN \$10,000 THEFT CASE

After deliberating all the morning the jury in the case of Walter W. Beck, formerly transfer clerk at the Des Moines station, Memphis postoffice, accused of rifling the mails of \$10,000, failed to reach a verdict and was discharged at 11 o'clock Monday afternoon.

# BIG CUT MADE IN RAILROAD BUDGET

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Reduction of four hundred and fifty million dollars in the \$1,200,000,000 revolving fund for the fiscal year 1920 was announced for the remainder of the calendar year was made today by the house appropriation committee.

# RAILWAY SHOP STRIKERS STILL REMAIN AWAY

ROANOKE, Va., June 9.—Disregarding orders of the American Federation of Labor to return to work today, more than 1,000 striking shop employees of the Norfolk & Western railway failed to report this morning for work. The strike is now in its second week.

# FOUR FOUND GUILTY OF MURDERING WOMAN

LAKE CITY, Fla., June 9.—Murder in the first degree, with recommendation of mercy, was the verdict of the jury in the case of Joe and Frank Lander, two negroes, who were charged with the murder of a woman. The jury found them guilty of murder in the first degree.

# THE WORLD OUTLOOK

(By the Associated Press.)

Plans for easing the terms upon which Germany will be admitted to the league of nations are under consideration by the peace conference heads. If she shows she possesses a stable government, signs the peace treaty and loyally executes it, she will be admitted, according to the proposed plans.

The replies to Germany's counter-proposals may be delivered by the latter part of the present week, but not before the coming Friday, according to present indications. It will be stipulated in the reply Germany must act in acceptance or rejection of the treaty within five days.

The Paris dispatches indicate the delay in framing the reply is due to divergent views held by Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau. President Wilson is said to be adhering to his policy of deferring to the British and French in this particular matter, while Premier Orlando of Italy is still holding aloof, following his plan of leaving the settlement of the negotiations relative to Germany to the other allies.

The Turkish peace mission is expected to arrive at Versailles Wednesday. It will be quartered at Vaucresson, about three miles from Versailles.

Esthonian and Lithuanian forces are advancing against the Bolsheviks along the Dvina river southeast of Riga. The former have taken the important towns of Krestburg and Jakobstad, while the latter are approaching Dyvinsk. East of Riga, however, German landwehr troops are reported to be aiding the Bolsheviks and to have forced Esthonian detachments to retire. Esthonian reinforcements also were compelled to retreat in this section, according to report.